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**WALKER ANNOUNCES EARLY OPENING OF POOLS FOR SUMMER
AND OPPORTUNITY FOR FREE SWIM LESSONS**

MILWAUKEE – County Executive Scott Walker announced that the Milwaukee County Parks outdoor pool hours have been extended this year and will open for the season this Friday, June 15 at 11:30am and close at 6pm. Friday and weekend pool hours begin at 11:30am and end at 6pm. Monday through Thursday pool hours start at 11:30am and ends at 7pm. The outdoor county pools daily admission rates for 12 + is \$1.50 and the daily rate for 11 and under is \$1. A night swim rate for outdoor pools will be \$.75 for all swimmers after 5pm every day.

Sign up for free swim lessons at any of our county outdoor pools, excluding Cool Waters, on Saturday, June 16, from 9:00- 11:00 am. Swim lessons will take place every Saturday throughout the summer from 10-11am at the pool where residents sign up. County Parks received a grant to offer these lessons.

New outdoor summer season pool passes this year may be used beginning on Saturday, June 16 through the end of the season. The cost for an outdoor annual individual pass for age 12 years and over is \$15. The cost for an outdoor annual individual pass for age 11 years and under is \$10. A free concert by David Drake will take place at Wilson Park at 6:30pm on June 15 with the movie Open Season(PG) following at 8pm. With the exception of the Cool Waters Family Aquatic Park, the passes will be valid at the listed nine outdoor county pools:

Jackson Pool.....	3500 W. Forest Home Ave.
Holler Pool.....	5151 S. 6 th Street
Lincoln Pool.....	1300 W. Glendale Ave.
McCarty Pool.....	2567 S. 79 th Street
Grobschmidt Pool.....	2500 S. 15 th Ave.
Sheridan Pool.....	4800 S. Lake Dr.
Washington Pool.....	1859 N. 40 th St.
Wilson Pool.....	4001 S. 20 th St.
Pelican Cove Family Aquatic Center...	2201 S. 7 th St.

A photo ID pass will be required for the season pool pass and may be obtained at designated Milwaukee County Parks locations including Wilson, McCarty, Sheridan, Washington and Lincoln pools, Community Centers, and the County Parks Administrative Office at 9480 Watertown Plank Rd. in Wauwatosa.

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Wading Pool Hours:

Wading Pools at:

Gordon Park.....	2828 N. Humboldt Blvd.	1-5pm
Vogel Park	8601 W. Lancaster Ave.	1-5pm
Kops Park	3321 N. 86 St.	1-5pm
Rose Park	3045 N. Dr. ML King Dr.	11-3pm
Clarke Square Park.....	2330 W. Vieau Place	11-3pm
Wedgewood Park	7201 W. Wedgewood Dr.	11-3pm
Saveland Park.....	3700 S. 2nd Street	11-3pm

To learn about the Pool Pass Donation Program, where to obtain a Summer Season Pool Pass, or information about the County Pools call the Aquatics Office at (414) 257-8098.

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